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By Mr. Walsh of Lynn, petition of Steven M. Walsh and others relative to seat belt requirements for junior operators of motor vehicles. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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### PETITION OF:

Steven M. Walsh  
David B. Sullivan

John W. Scibak  
David Paul Linsky

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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO A JUNIOR OPERATOR SEAT BELT REQUIREMENT.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 Section (1). Section 8 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as  
2 appearing in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by  
3 adding after the fifth paragraph after line 81 the following:  
4 A person holding a junior operator's license who operates a  
5 motor vehicle without a seat belt shall be subject to a fine of  
6 twenty-five dollars. This provision shall be enforced by law  
7 enforcement agencies and the operator may be stopped even if  
8 there is no other violation of motor vehicle laws or any other  
9 offense.